

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-31707-2017

Date of decision: September 12, 2017.

Kasturi Lal

... **Petitioner**

v.

Narcotics Control Bureau

... **Respondent**

CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.B. CHAUDHARI**

Present: Shri N.S. Swaitch, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

A.B. Chaudhari, J. (Oral):

Heard Learned counsel for the petitioner.

What is under challenge in this petition is the order made by the trial court on 5.7.2017 on an application made by the petitioner that the trial court should not declare him proclaimed offender in the proceedings till the decision on the anticipatory bail application. In other words, the petitioner asked the trial court not to exercise the jurisdiction which is vested in it. In my opinion, such an application is not maintainable. In that view of the matter, the petition is dismissed. Liberty is however reserved in favour of the petitioner to approach the trial court and seek necessary remedies.

September 12, 2017.

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[**A.B. Chaudhari**]
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No